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## **Designated Authorities**

## **Civil Aviation Authority**

Civil Aviation Affairs P. O. Box 1 MUSCAT POSTAL CODE 111 Sultanate of Oman

AFS Address: OOMSYAYX

Tel: (968) 24519 315 Fax: (968) 24510 122

## Meteorology

Civil Aviation Affairs P. O. Box 1 MUSCAT POSTAL CODE 111 Sultanate of Oman

AFS Address: OOMSYMYX

Tel: (968) 24519 610 / 24519 364

Fax: (968) 24519 363

## **Customs**

Directorate General of Customs P. O. Box 1599 MUTTRAH POSTAL CODE 114 Sultanate of Oman

Telefax: (968) 24712 199

## **Immigration**

Principal Immigration Officer P. O. Box 2 MUSCAT POSTAL CODE 113 Sultanate of Oman

Telefax: (968) 24560 540

### Health

Ministry of Health Directorate General of Health Affairs Department of Surveillance & Disease Control
P. O. Box 393
MUSCAT
POSTAL CODE 113
Sultanate of Oman

Telefax: (968) 24560 540

## **Airport Charges**

Ministry of Transport and Communications Civil Aviation Affairs P. O. Box 1 MUSCAT POSTAL CODE 111 Sultanate of Oman

Telephone: (968) 24519 218 Telefax: (968) 24510 122

### **Veterinary and Agricultural Quarantine**

Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries P. O. Box 467 MUSCAT POSTAL CODE 113 Sultanate of Oman

Telefax: (968) 24696 271

## **Aircraft Accidents Investigation**

Ministry of Transport and Communications Civil Aviation Affairs Flight Safety Department P. O. Box 1 MUSCAT POSTAL CODE 111 Sultanate of Oman

Telephone: (968) 24519 234 Telefax: (968) 24510 122

## Aeronautical Information Services (AIS)

Aeronautical Information Service P. O. Box 1 Postal Code 111 Muscat Sultanate of Oman

AFS Address: OOMSYNYX

Telephone: (968) 24519 350 Telefax: (968) 24519 850

#### **International NOTAM Offices**

The NOF division of the AIS is responsible for the NOTAMS.

Aeronautical Information Service NOF Division P. O. Box 1 Postal Code 111 Muscat Sultanate of Oman

AFS Address: OOMSYNYX

Telephone: (968) 24519 350 Telefax: (968) 24519 850

## **Oman Embassy to the United States**

Embassy of The Sultanate of Oman 2535 Belmont Rd Washington D.C. 20008

Tel: 202 387 1980

Website: http://www.omaninfo.us

## **United States Embassy to Oman**

Embassy of United States in Muscat, Oman Jamiat A'Duwal Al Arabiya Street, Al Khuwair Area (Shatti Al-Qurum), in the capital city of Muscat.

Mailing address: PO Box 202, Medinat Al Sultan Qaboos 115, Sultanate of Oman,

Telephone: (968) 24-643-400 Facsimile: (968) 24-643-53

Website: <a href="http://oman.usembassy.gov/">http://oman.usembassy.gov/</a>

# **Flight Information**

## **Airports of Entry**

OOMS Muscat International Airport

## **Entry/Exit Requirements**

Entry and exit requirements are for aircraft departing the United States non-stop to country of destination. These requirements do not include any technical stops. Please refer to

**Technical Stop** section in **Additional Flight Information** for the country at which the technical stop will be made.

Entry and Exit documentation forms vary from country to country. In general, however, ICAO member countries will accept the following standard ICAO Annex 9 Entry/Exit documents:

- → General Declaration
- → Passenger Manifest
- → Cargo Manifest
- → Embarkation/Disembarkation Card
- → Certificate of Residual Disinsection

Examples of these documents can be found at <a href="IFIM Home>General Information>International Flying Overview> ICAO Annex 9 Entry/Exit Documents">ICAO Annex 9 Entry/Exit Documents</a>. The acceptance of these ICAO documents must be confirmed by the appropriate AIS.

#### **Entry Requirements (Departing the U.S.)**

- → File an <u>eAPIS</u> manifest outbound (recommend inbound at this time, too)
- → File and activate international flight plan
- → Land at a designated airport of entry (AOE) customs and immigration

The following entry documents are required:

#### Passengers -

- → Valid passport
- → Visa required for U.S. Citizens

#### Pilots - Same as passengers

*Note:* Other pilot/crewmember requirements may be applicable in lieu of those stated. Contact appropriate AIS for further clarification prior to flight.

#### Aircraft -

- → General Declaration 1 for Customs, 3 for Immigration, 1 for Health
- → Passenger Manifest 1 for Customs, 3 for Immigration, 2 for Health
- → Cargo Manifest 2 for Customs, 1 for Immigration, 1 for Health

#### **Exit Requirements (Departing Oman)**

- → Depart from an AOE
- → File eAPIS manifest if inbound to the U.S.
- → File an international flight plan
- → Call U.S. Customs at filed U.S. airport of entry

The following documents are required for departure:

- → General Declaration 1 for Customs, 2 for Immigration, 1 for Health
- → Passenger Manifest 1 for Customs, 3 for Immigration, 2 for Health
- → Cargo Manifest 2 for Customs, 1 for Immigration, 1 for Health

## Additional Flight Information

#### Aircraft Instruments and Equipment

U.S. aircraft airworthiness and certification requirements may not meet other countries requirements. It is the responsibility of the pilot to determine if the aircraft meet those requirements.

Commercial air transport aircraft operating in the Sultanate of Oman must adhere to the provisions of ICAO Annex 6 Operation of Aircraft, and any differences thereto as notified by the Sultanate of Oman.

Specific details of the requirements of Annex 6 are contained in the Oman Civil Aviation Regulations which are available for purchase though the Oman AIS.

The items listed below are for pilots' reference to determine if the aircraft meets minimum instrument and equipment requirements of the destination country. Additional equipment may be required to comply with the airspace navigation requirements.

- → ICAO Annex 2 Procedures for intercepted aircraft (including list of visual signals)
- → ACAS II (meeting Annex 10 performance requirements) for turbine aircraft with MTOGW over 5700 kg. or more than 19 passengers
- → Mode S Transponder

ICAO Documents can be purchased from ICAO at: http://store1.icao.int/

#### **RVSM**

<u>Domestic and International RVSM</u> guidance is provided on the IFIM Home Page. Click on the **Air Traffic** tab and select **Separation Standards** from the drop down list.

### **Technical Stop / Overflight**

Permission must be obtained from the Oman Civil Aviation Authority for technical stops or overflight.

#### Non-scheduled Flights (Charters)

Operators must obtain permission from the Oman Civil Aviation Authority to carry out nonscheduled flights into, from or over the territory of Oman, whether or not for the purpose of taking on or discharging passengers, cargo or mail. The resulting permit number shall be included on the flight plan.

Applications for such permission will be submitted to the CAA at the address given in GEN 1.2-1 paragraph 2.2 a) in sufficient time to arrive not less than seventy-two hours in advance of the intended landing or overflight.

#### **Private Flights**

One must obtain permission to carry out private flights into, from or over the territory of Oman from the Oman Civil Aviation Authority.

#### **Float Planes**

The IFIM Staff is not aware of any Float Plane requirements or restrictions.

### **Light Sport Aircraft**

The IFIM Staff is not aware of any Light Sport Aircraft requirements or restrictions.

#### Fees

Users should anticipate varying fees for landing, hangarage, parking and air navigation. Contact the appropriate authority for details (see Designated Authorities).

#### **Fuel**

Jet A1 and Avgas are available at Muscat International Airport

### VFR/Night VFR

No VFR flights above FL 150.

Visual approaches **by night** will not be authorized unless the pilots' reports show that they have and can maintain the aerodrome in sight.

### **Island Hopping**

The IFIM Staff is not aware of any Island Hopping requirements or restrictions.

#### **Aeronautical Charts**

Aeronautical charts are available for purchase from the following:

Civil Aviation Affairs
P. O. Box 1
Postal Code 111
Muscat
Sultanate of Oman
A limited supply of these charts is also available from the NOF at Muscat Intl Airport.

## U.S. Prohibitions, Restrictions and Notices

U.S. Prohibitions, Restrictions and Notices may be found on the IFIM main page under General Information. Click  $\underline{\mathsf{HERE}}$  to open.

# **Country Specific Travel Information**

#### **Public Health**

Aircraft – No Public Health measures are normally required to be carried out in respect of aircraft entering Oman.

Pilots should refer to the DOT website below for any current requirements.

DOT: <u>Aircraft Disinsection Requirements</u>

Passengers – A current certificate of vaccination against Yellow Fever is required at destination for persons entering or in transit through endemic areas. No other health formalities are required.

Please refer to the Center for Disease Control and the World Health Organization websites below for any current requirements.

CDC: http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/destinations/oman.htm

http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/content/vaccinations.aspx

WHO: http://www.who.int/countries/en/

#### **Public Holidays**

Note: Contact the Oman Embassy to determine which holidays may affect administrative services.

#### Pets

An import permit shall be obtained from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, prior to shipment from the country of origin, for all live animals, birds and animal/bird products.

A specific original health certificate, in the format prescribed by the Disease of Animals Control Order 1977 and signed by a duly authorized veterinarian, shall accompany each import.

A valid certificate showing vaccination for Rabies should accompany each cat, dog or other specified mammal. This certificate is considered valid if it has been carried out not less than one month but no more than six months prior to the entry time of the animal.

#### **Additional Links**

U.S. Dept of State Information - http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/35834.htm

Official Government Tourism website:

 $\underline{\text{http://www.omantourism.gov.om/wps/portal/mot/tourism/oman/home}}$ 

CIA World Factbook: <a href="https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/mu.html">https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/mu.html</a>

## Aeronautical Information Publication AIP

http://met.gov.om/AIP/